

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 424

By Rudd

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Luke Jared Hamby, 2017  
Valedictorian of Blackman High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Luke Jared Hamby is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2017 graduating class at Blackman High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Mr. Hamby achieved outstanding academic success and joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Luke Hamby earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including National Honor Society, Science National Honor Society, Renaissance, Mu Alpha Theta, Key Club, EPIC Mentoring, Blackman Collegiate Academy, and Rho Kappa; and

WHEREAS, his display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success as a student at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hamby's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Jamie and Virginia Hamby, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Luke Hamby's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of the members of this General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2017 Blackman High School Valedictorian, Luke Jared Hamby, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.